ANS member, 1902-1923.

Sleeve 1 of 2.

Nies, James Buchanan, Rev.

[Brooklyn, NY]

1909-1913

March 16,1908

Rev.James R.Nice,
Hotel Margaret,
Brooklyn.

Dear Mr.Nice:-

Would it be as convenient to you to give us that promised talk at the April, instead of the May meeting?

I have just received a letter from Mr.Herbe,who promised us a paper in April, to the effect that he will not be able to be in New York at the time of our April meeting,but could give us the paper at the May meeting.

If you can do this,I will arrange things accordingly,if not we will have the pleasure of listening to you on May 17th,as planned,and I will put Mr.Herbe off until Fall.The April meeting occurs on the 19th.

Hoping that you enjoyed the meeting,last evening,and with kind regards,

I am,believe me,

Very sincerely yours

Hotel Margaret,
Columbia Heights
March 17th
1909

Dear Mr Belding

It will not be possible for me to have anything prepared for the April meeting* but just let Mr Zerbe give his paper at the May meeting and put me off until the Autumn. This will give me more time.

Faithfully yrs
James H Ties

*. Because of the meeting of the American Oriental Society

Hotel Margaret
Brooklyn
March 21
1909

Dear Mr Belden

It will certainly suit me better to say my little say on Mohommedan Coins in the Autumn

I will see what can be done about the Benson books, tho' I confess it is not a pleasant undertaking in view of my previous experience in the same matter.

Faithfully Yours
James B. Nies.

March 28,1902

Rev.James T.Hiss,
Hotel Margaret,
Brooklyn.

My Dear Dr.Hiss:-

I have been informed,in an entirely unofficial manner,that the Long Island Historical has no particular use for the numismatic coins that were presented by Miss Benson,and that it is not unlikely that,should Miss Benson consent to such a thing,the Historical Society would be rather glad,than otherwise,to have them transferred to us.

Can you ascertain if this is so,and if you find that it is,take such steps as you may think best to bring it about.

Very sincerely yours

Recording Secretary.

March 23,1909

James B. Hies,
Hotel Margaret,
Brooklyn.

My dear Dr. Hies:-

Your letter of the 17th instant was duly received.

Personally, I would much prefer to stick to the original date for your address, and let Mr. Herbe take his chance in the fall, but possibly, since you have so kindly offered to defer your address until fall, it might be as well to accept your proposition and let him have the May meeting, as he lives in Tyrone, Pa. and is only in New York occasionally, and so it might be hard to hit on a date that would suit him.

If you are sure, therefore, that it will suit you, fully as well, to talk to us at either the November or December meeting, I will write to him that we will have his paper at the May meeting. If, however, on thinking it over, you decide that May will be more convenient for you, please advise me to that effect and I will put him off. I will wait a few days before writing to him, so as to give you time to let me know.

With kind regards, I am, believe me,

Very sincerely yours

Recording Secretary.

The Margaret
Columbia Heights
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr Adams:

Enclosed Check is to pay for one of the Huntington Medals in bronze to which, I believe I am entitled at that price as a subscriber

Faithfully Yours

James B Nies.

May 7th 1909

Offices of EDWARD D. ADAMS,

Nos. 1415-14,

71 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

Referred to Mr. Bauman L. Belden,

Date May 7th, 1909.

Letter

Dated

From

To

Regarding Enclosed please find cheque from Mr. James B. Nies for $3.00, who desires a copy of the Huntington Medal.

May 8, 1908.

Mr. Edward D. Adams,
71 Broadway,
New York.

Dear Mr. Adams:-

I am in receipt of Dr. Lice' cheque for $5.00, and will supply him with the bronze Huntington medal.

Very truly yours

Recording Secretary.

May 8, 1909.

Rev. Dr. James S. Kiee,
Hotel Margaret,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Dr. Kiee:-

I have your Huntington medal here, shall I mail it to you, or hold it until the 17th and give it to you then ?

You see I am taking it for granted that you will be at the meeting.

Very sincerely yours

BHB

Hotel Margaret,
95 TO 97 COLUMBIA HEIGHTS,
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

My Dear Mr Belden

Yes, keep the medal for me I'll get it next week -

On further consideration I have concluded that I would not care to risk a second misunderstanding with Miss Benson

Sincerely Yours
James B Vias

May 10th 1909

Hotel Margaret
47 Columbia Heights
Brooklyn N.Y.
August 29th
1909

Mr Bauman L Belden. Secy.

My dear Mr Belden
Mrs Vies and I expect to sail for Europe on October 9th to remain abroad several years. I regret therefore that I shall not be able to address the Society at the meeting in November

As I desire while away to be as free a possible from all American obligations I beg also

that you will present my resignation to the Society. I shall probably resume membership on my return a few years hence.

Sincerely yours

James B Nies

[illegible]

[illegible] to see if you can't
[illegible] I can get away, I will [illegible]
[illegible] ever for [illegible].
[illegible] to see you before you leave, and [illegible] kind [illegible],

Very sincerely yours

[illegible] 7, [illegible].

My dear Sir, [illegible]:

I am very glad to get your letter, [illegible] that we have [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible].

I [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Hotel Margaret
Columbia Heights
Brooklyn N.Y.
10 - 22 - 1909

Dear Mr Belden

That was a very nice letter you wrote in answer to my resignation. You need not present the resignation. Please alter my address on your books and those of the Treasurer to

London City and Midland Bank Ltd
Threadneedle St -
London England

I will come up again before I leave if I can find time

Faithfully yours

James B. Nies.

James B. Nies

HOTEL ROSE
WIESBADEN

Mr Burman L. Belden Secy

Dear Sir:

The proposed new Constitution which I presume was carried through I have received.

I have decided to take advantage of the Clauses relating to Associate Members -

Please have me made an associate member for life and

request the treasurer to send me a bill for fifty dollars, as I wish to be relieved of the payment of dues in the future. This arrangement will excuse me from all other dues for 1910, as I did not receive the information about forthcoming changes until ex post facto.

After my return to permanent residence in America I shall probably

ly wish to be restored to regular membership again.

With warm regards to Mr Huntington and all the members I am

Faithfully yours,

James Nies.

28th 1910

AUDUBON PARK

156TH STREET, WEST OF BROADWAY

New York,

Mr. A. H. Baldwin & Sons
c/o London Agy. Wm. Wood
Threadneedle St. E.C. London England

To The American Numismatic Society, Dr.

Membership Dues for year ending January 16, 1911, . . . *$15.00*

Received Payment,

Treasurer.

Please remit to CHARLES PRYER, *Treasurer.*

Membership Medal (Silver, $6.00; Bronze, $3.00), may be obtained, if desired, from the Treasurer.

HOTEL ROSE
WIESBADEN

Mr Charles Pryer Treasr

Dear Sir

I have written Secy in reference to enclosed bill and beg to refer you to him.

Sincerely Yours.

J Turner Ries –

P.S. Kindly use five cent stamp on letters as they must be forwarded from England to the Continent

Hotel Vier Jahreszeiten, München.

Telegramm-Adresse: **Jahreszeiten.** — Telephon 4023 & 4024.

Dear Mr Belden:

As there is no five cent rate for mail between England and the Continent and as all my mail is forwarded from England kindly use five cent stamps and request the Treasurer to do the same in my case.

Faithfully Yours

James A Rees

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Kartenbrief.

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An Mr Bauman L. Belden

American Numismatic Society. West 156th St.

in New York N.Y.

Wohnung
Straße und Hausnummer U. S. America.

HOTEL VIER JAHRESZEITEN
MÜNCHEN.

February 14, 1910.

Rev. Dr. James P. Nies,
C/o London City & Midland Bank, Ltd.,
Threadneedle Street,
London, England.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors of this Society have appointed you a member of the Committee on Oriental Coins, of which Mr. Edward T. Newell, Hotel Plaza, New York, is Chairman, and Mr. Charles Gregory, 30 Broad Street, New York , is the third member.

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you I am, believe me,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

February 15, 1910.

My dear Dr. Nies:

Your letter of January 28th reached me this morning. In accordance with your request I am sending herewith a bill for Associate Life Membership.

I am also sending a notice of your appointment on the Committee on Oriental Coins, which appointment holds good in spite of your change to associate membership, as members of any class may be members of standing committees.

It was thought that being abroad you might be able to assist the Committee with information so that you might run across, and it was also felt that we wanted to keep in as close touch with you as possible, because our relations in the past have been of such a pleasant character, and your membership has been of such value to the Society.

We are preparing for a large medallic exhibition to be held next month, and are very busy accordingly.

With kind regards, and hoping that you are well and enjoying yourself, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

HOTEL
VIER JAHRESZEITEN
TELEGRAMM-ADRESSE: JAHRESZEITENTYP, MÜNCHEN.
Lieber's Code — International Hôtel-Code.
TELEFON 23073—23076.

MÜNCHEN,

My dear Mr Belden:

Your letter announcing my appointment on the Committee on Oriental Coins received - please express my thanks for the honor to the President and Council of the Society.

The bill for $50, life membership fee, you sent I have unfortunately mislaid - I send the check, however which

which, I take it for granted, will relieve me of all dues past, present and future;

I wish herewith also to propose for Associate Membership the Rev Henry A. Dows of 540 West 150th St, New York city. a Nephew of the late David Dows and an estimable gentleman.

With kind regards to the president, yourself and members I am

Faithfully yours

James G Vies.

26th 2-10

P.S. I shall be at this hotel in Munich two months so you may address me directly for that time

March 15, 1910.

Rev. Dr. James B. Nies,
Hotel Vier Jahreszeiten,
München, Germany.

My dear Dr. Nies:

Your letter of February 26th, with cheque for [illegible], for associate life membership fee, has just been received.

It will give me great pleasure to present the name of Rev. Henry A. Dows, for election to associate membership, at the next meeting of the Council, we are greatly obliged to you for proposing him.

Our exhibition, which is now going on, is very fine, I wish you were here to see it.

Hoping you are well and having a good time, and with kind regards, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

[illegible] 1, 1911.

[illegible],

[illegible],

[illegible] :-

[illegible] Society have co-[illegible]
[illegible]mittee on Oriental Coins, or at [illegible]

[illegible]

Trusting that this will be satisfactory to you, I am, believe me,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

Hotel St George,
Clark St
Brooklyn.

Dear Mr Belden
please have
my address changed
on the books to above,
also for journal —
am just now, for a
few days, at 102 Remsen St
will try to get over on
Saturday afternoon

Faithfully Yours
James A Tice.

Mr B. L. Belden.

BROOKLYN, N.Y.
NOV 17
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1911

Mr Bauman L Belden Secy
Amer. Numismatic Society
156th St West of Broadway
New York City.

[illegible] 1911.

Rev. Dr. James E. Kiss,

c/o Mr. Alexander E. Orr,

102 [illegible] Street,

Pennsylvania.

My dear Dr. Kiss:-

I was very glad indeed to get your postal, and to learn that you are in this country again. I will have the address changed as soon as possible on our [illegible]. I hope you will manage to [illegible] at least [illegible] stay long. We have been getting quite a few interesting [illegible] since you were here.

With kind regards, and hoping that you enjoyed your trip abroad, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

November 22nd, 1912.

Rev. Dr. James F. Nies,
Hotel St. George,
Clark Street,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Nies:-

Would you kindly advise me of the date of the paper money of Chinese Korea, of which you spoke at the last meeting, also the occasion for which it was issued, as I want to put a brief note of this in the bulletin of that meeting.

Hoping that you will get up here before long, and with kind regards, I am,

Very sincerely yours,

HOTEL ST. GEORGE,
WILLIAM TUMBRIDGE
CLARK, HICKS, HENRY & PINEAPPLE STS
51 CLARK STREET,
BROOKLYN HEIGHTS, NEW YORK

Dear Mr Belden

Enclosed is an answer to your request. I'm sorry to have kept you waiting but this is the first minute I could get to answer. This copy is of a note for ten piastres I have one also for 20, differing only in the amount.

The translation is

10 piastres Gov't money (or tax)

This sum accepted and we do promise to pay from the Treasury of Khartoum or Egypt after have passed six months from date — April 20th 1884 —

Signed and sealed "Gordon"

Name C. E. Gordon

The siege began in March and

was kept up till Jan 26th 1885
when Gordon was killed
two days before relief came.

Trusting this is
what you wish I am
as ever
Faithfully yours
James B. Ives.

Nov 29th 1912

عشرة غروش ميرى

هذا المبلغ مقبول وبحرك دفعه من خزينه الخرطوم اومصر بعد
مضى ستة شهور من تاريخه ٢٥ ابريل سنة ١٨٨٤

غوردون
باشا

C.E. Gordon

February 5th, 1913.

Rev. Dr. James B. Nies,
Hotel St. George,
Clark Street,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Sir:-

I take pleasure in informing you that the Governors have appointed you a member of the Committee on Oriental Coins, of which Mr. Howland Wood, 93 Perry Street, Brookline, Massachusetts, is chairman, and Mr. Charles Gregory, 80 Broadway, New York, Mr. Edward T. Newell, Hotel Plaza, New York, and Mr. John Reilly, Jr., 250 Broadway, New York, are the other members,

Trusting that this will be agreeable to you, I am,

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

HOTEL ST. GEORGE,
WILLIAM TUMBRIDGE,
CLARK, HICKS, HENRY & PINEAPPLE STS.
51 CLARK STREET,
BROOKLYN HEIGHTS, NEW YORK

My dear Mr. Belden:
Please thank the Governors of the Am. Numismatic Society for me for the re-appointment to the Committee on Oriental Coins. I very much appreciate the honor

Faithfully Yours
James B. Nies

Feb. 6th 1913

HOTEL ST. GEORGE,
WILLIAM TUMBRIDGE,
CLARK, HICKS, HENRY & PINEAPPLE STS.
51 CLARK STREET,
BROOKLYN HEIGHTS, NEW YORK

Dear Mr Belden:

Kindly note address of enclosed cover of Vol XVI. Am J N. which has just arrived. Somebody needs to be notified that I am no longer abroad.

Is the journal to be continued together with the Numismatist?

Excuse trouble I am giving you.

Faithfully yours

James B Nies.

Feb 8th 1913

December 12th, 1913.

Rev. Dr. James B. Nies,
Hotel St. George,
Clark Street,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

My dear Dr. Nies:-

It strikes me that the subject of this meeting ought to be of interest to you, and I trust that we will see you at the meeting, and that you will have something to show us and something to say to us on the subject, and that reminds me that you promised sometime to show me the notes by Chinese Gordon that you mentioned at one of our meetings sometime ago.

With kind regards, I am,

Very sincerely yours,